

**Amendment In Response to Non-Final Office Action**

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For: TWIN BALL JOINT WITH IMPROVED  
BALL CAGE

Examiner: G. J. Binda

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MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Madam:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated March 9, 2009, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 7 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.

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An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following page 13 of this paper.